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"METHOD FOR CONTROLLING DRIVE OF ACTUATOR OF ACTIVE VIBRATION ISOLATION SUPPORT SYSTEM"

DECLARATION UNDER 37 CFR 1.132 TRAVERSING REJECTIONS UNDER 35 USC 102(E) AS ANTICIPATED BY NEMOTO (US 6,422,546)

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Sir:

- I, Hirotomi Nemoto do hereby depose and state as follows:
- 1. I am the inventor of the above-named application. I am also one of the named inventors of the US Patent 6,422,546.
- 2. I am an employee of Honda Giken Kogyo Kabushiki Kaisha, a corporation of Tokyo, Japan, which is the assignee of the above-identified patent application.
- 3. Any invention disclosed but not claimed in the U.S. Patent (6,422,546) to Nemoto et al. was derived from the inventor of the above-named application, and is thus not an invention "by another."

I hereby declare that all statements made herein on my own knowledge are true, and that

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